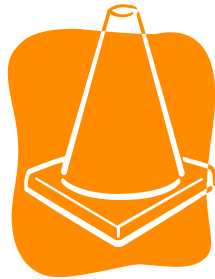


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TAMC CONE ZONE REPORT

ROAD AND LANE CLOSURES SCHEDULED FOR OCT. 30 – NOV. 6

MONTEREY COUNTY – Here are the major scheduled road and lane closures for the areas between Salinas and North Monterey County from **Sunday, October 30**, through **Sunday, November 6** – **newest information is in red.**

Highway 68 through Downtown Salinas: October 30 – November 6

- **Night work for the Highway 68 overlay project in Downtown Salinas will take place from Sunday, October 30, through Sunday, November 6, between the hours of 6 p.m. and 7 a.m.**
 - Up to 10-minute delays are anticipated.
 - This project goes through downtown Salinas.
 - There will be reduced or no parking in this construction zone due to micro-surfacing of the pavement.

Highway 1 to Highway 68: October 30 – November 6

- **There will be a night closure on the Highway 68 connector to southbound Highway 1, and the northbound Highway 1 off ramp to eastbound Highway 68, from Sunday, October 30, through Thursday, November 3, between the hours of 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.**
- **There will also be daytime closures on the Highway 68 connector to southbound Highway 1, and the northbound Highway 1 off ramp to eastbound Highway 68, from Tuesday, November 1, through Thursday, November 3, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.**
 - The detour is available via Casa Verde.
- **Furthermore, there will be a daytime lane closure on Highway 68 near Toro Park, on Monday, October 31, through Thursday, November 3, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and on Friday, November 4, from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.**
- **Caltrans may also close the Hwy. 68 on- and off-ramps to Portola Drive, on Thursday, November 3, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. This work is required to eliminate bumps at the ramps.**
 - Ramps will be closed one at a time.

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Prunedale Improvement Project: October 30 – November 6

- **Night work will close the northbound lanes of HWY 101 between Prunedale South Road and Reese Circle on November 3, between the hours of 9 p.m. and 5 a.m.**
 - **Northbound traffic will be crossed over to the opposite side of the highway.**
 - Detour signs will clearly indicate the traffic crossover details.
 - CHP will be in the area during the crossovers.

- **Blackie Road is open to through traffic!**

Highway 68: October 30 – November 6

- Monterey County Public Works continues its **work along HWY 68 and San Benancio, which will go on until December 2011**. This work is being done during the day; drivers should be alert. Most work will be done behind the concrete barriers that are set up, but minor delays can be expected.

Please drive safely and exercise caution in the construction zones.

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